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ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 193

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PURPOSE: The 2009 Legislature passed LB 436, which established a statewide net metering policy. This study will examine the impact of the passage of LB 436. Issues to be studied shall include, but are not limited to, the following:

- (1) Whether the passage of LB 436 has stimulated investments in renewable energy equipment by electrical consumers;
- (2) Whether increasing the rated capacity cap would increase consumer investments in renewable energy;
- (3) Whether changes in credit carryover procedures would increase consumer investments in renewable energy;
- (4) Whether statewide interconnection standards should be established;
- (5) Recognized best practices in net metering policies; and
 - (6) The impact of LB 436 on Nebraska's public utilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Natural Resources Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.
 - 2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of

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its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.